

AMENDMENTS TO THE ABSTRACT

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ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

The chemical structure shows a steroid nucleus consisting of four fused rings: a benzene ring on the left, and three six-membered rings on the right. The benzene ring has four substituents labeled R_1 , R_2 , R_3 , and R_4 . The R_1 substituent is at the top position, R_2 is at the left position, R_3 is at the bottom-left position, and R_4 is at the bottom-right position. Attached to the top-right six-membered ring is a side chain consisting of a six-membered ring fused to a five-membered ring. The five-membered ring has three hydroxyl groups (OH) attached to its three carbons that are not part of the ring fusion.

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